

Message Text

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 01 OECD P 13451 071416Z

16

ACTION EB-07

INFO OCT-01 CIAE-00 COME-00 DODE-00 NRC-05 NSAE-00 USIA-06

TRSE-00 EUR-12 ERDA-05 ISO-00 PA-01 PRS-01 EA-07

ACDA-07 AID-05 /057 W

----- 128684

R 071412Z MAY 76

FM USMISSION OECD PARIS

TO SECSTATE WASH DC 1906

INFO AMEMBASSY LONDON

AMEMBASSY TOKYO

USLO PEKING

C O N F I D E N T I A L OECD PARIS 13451

EXCON

E.O. 11652: XGDS1

TAGS: ESTC, COCOM

SUBJECT: BELGIAN QUERY ON NEWSPAPER ARTICLE

REF: OECD PARIS 12855 (NOTAL)

1. IN PRIVATE CONVERSATION MAY 5, BELGIAN DEL ASKED IF LE MONDE ARTICLE SUMMARIZED REFTEL WAS CORRECT IN ASSERTING THAT U. S. AUTHORITIES NOW LOOK WITH FAVOR ON SALES OF MILITARY EQUIPMENT TO CHINA.

2. US DEL REPLIED THAT HE HAD NO INFORMATION TO THIS EFFECT. REFERRING SPECIFICALLY TO THE SPEY ENGINE DEAL, HE RECALLED THAT THE US HAD OBJECTED TO IT IN COCOM IN 1973. HE SAID WE HAD DEPLORED THE BYPASSING OF COCOM BUT HAD NOT OPPOSED THE SALE WHEN UK FINALLY DECIDED TO PROCEED WITH IT.

3. FOREGOING WAS PREPARED BEFORE STATE 110537 WAS RE-CONFIDENTIAL

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 02 OECD P 13451 071416Z

CEIVED.

TURNER

CONFIDENTIAL

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: POLICIES, MILITARY EQUIPMENT, PRESS COMMENTS, STRATEGIC TRADE CONTROLS, MILITARY SALES
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 07 MAY 1976
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: RELEASED
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: vogelfj
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment: 25 YEAR REVIEW
Disposition Date: 28 MAY 2004
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1976OECDP13451
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: X1
Errors: N/A
Film Number: D760177-0991
From: OECD PARIS
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1976/newtext/t19760580/aaaacqeq.tel
Line Count: 62
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM
Office: ACTION EB
Original Classification: CONFIDENTIAL
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a
Previous Classification: CONFIDENTIAL
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: 76 OECD PARIS 12855
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: vogelfj
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 20 APR 2004
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <20 APR 2004 by ellisoob>; APPROVED <13 AUG 2004 by vogelfj>
Review Markings:

Margaret P. Grafeld
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
04 MAY 2006

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: BELGIAN QUERY ON NEWSPAPER ARTICLE
TAGS: ESTC, US, CH, BE, COCOM
To: STATE
Type: TE
Markings: Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 04 MAY 2006